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Superfund Branch
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EPA - HARBOR ISLAND
SUPERFUND SITE

Dear Ms. Cohen:

Please find the enclosed response regarding the Harbor Island site investigation which has been listed on the National Priorities List pursuant to CERCLA as a possible superfund site.

As Olympic Pipe Line Company leases property on Harbor Island and has received your letter identifying same as a PRP, we wish to cooperate within the scope of our operation.

Should you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

R.C. Meadows

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Manager

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HARBOR ISLAND SUPERFUND SITE RESPONSE

1. Olympic Pipe Line Company is an owner and operator of pipeline facilities which transport only refined petroleum products. Such petroleum fractions thereof include gasolines, diesel fuel, heating fuel and turbine fuel. All deliveries or transfers are made via pipeline to various shippers storage tankage. As such, as defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Responses, Compensation, and Liability Act, Title 1, Section 101 (14), "Hazardous substance" as defined, excludes these petroleum products. As an interstate system, Olympic Pipe Line Company's liquid pipelines are subject to D.O.T. regulations, Title 49, CFR Part 195. No hazardous substances are generated, stored, treated, transported, disposed of or otherwise handled at this facility.
2. See #1 above.
3. Not applicable.
4. Not applicable.
5. Not applicable.
6. Not applicable.
7. On Tuesday, December 24, 1985, at 13:10 hours, Olympic Pipe Line Company experienced a diesel fuel spillage of approximately 60 barrels near our Harbor Island Delivery Facility.

This leak occurred in a subsurface piping flange gasket in the 2400 block of S.W. Florida Street and Thirteenth Avenue S.W.

Immediate notification to proper agencies and authorities was made by Olympic Pipe Line Company. An investigation was conducted the same day by the Washington State Department of Ecology.

HARBOR ISLAND SUPERFUND SITE RESPONSE - CONTINUED

Recovery efforts under the direction of this agency (W.D.O.E.) were efficient and immediate, resulting in a short-term cleanup. One recovery well was installed at this site on December 28, and maintained until optimum product recovery was achieved. Olympic was relieved of this obligation on January 15, 1986, when dismissed by W.D.O.E. Recovery was determined to be more than 80% effective, with ±50 barrels retrieved.

8. See #7 - Recovery well is still in place, but is not being used or monitored by Olympic Pipe Line Company.
9. Not applicable.
10. Not applicable.